How to remove Jammed Paper

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Paper Jams

Paper jams occasionally occur due to paper misfeeding from a paper tray or at any point on the paper path through the printer. When a jam occurs, the printer immediately stops and the Attention LED on the Status Panel informs you of the event.

For example:

This document explains how to clear them quickly and simply.

If printing multiple pages (or copies), do not assume that having cleared an obvious sheet, others will not also be stopped somewhere along the path. These must also be removed in order to clear the jam fully and restore normal operations. Please remove jammed paper carefully so that it doesn't tear. However, if it does please ensure that no parts of paper are left inside the printer.

Check the error code displayed on the panel and remove the jammed paper by following the procedures described in this document.

NOTE: The model shown may look different from your printer however the basic principles are the same.

ERROR CODES AND LOCATION

Refer to the table below to find the location of the paper jam

Error Code	Location on Printer	Refer to Page
370	Duplex Unit	4
371	Duplex Unit	4
372	Duplex Unit	4
373	Duplex Unit	4
380	Inside Printer	5
381	Inside Printer	5
382	Inside Printer	5
383	Duplex Unit	4
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DUPLEX   **MULTI PURPOSE TRAY**   **INSIDE PRINTER**   **PAPER TRAYS**

WARNING!

If the printer has been powered on recently, the fuser will be hot. This area is clearly labelled. Do not touch.
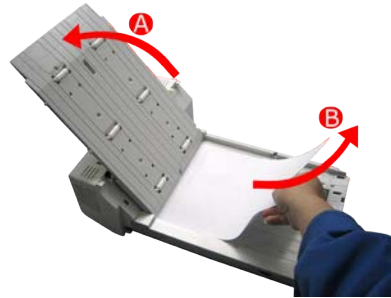
Error Code 370, 371, 372, 373 & 383
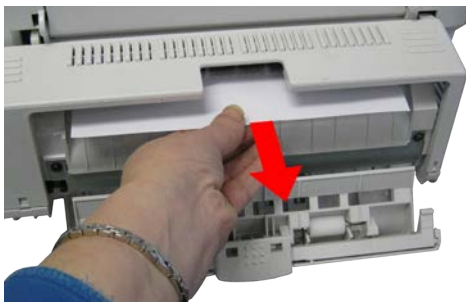A paper jam has occurred near the duplex unit

1. The duplex unit is located at the rear of the printer. Pinch and lift the jam release lever of the duplex unit to open the duplex unit cover.

2. Pull out the jammed paper.

Note: If you cannot see the jammed paper, close the duplex unit cover. The jammed paper should be ejected automatically. If the jammed paper cannot be ejected even when the duplex unit cover is closed, turn off the printer. (Refer to "Turning off the Printer" on page 10)

The printer must be switched off, before removing the duplex unit.

3. Remove the duplex unit from the printer.

4. Lift the cover up (A) and remove the jammed paper (B).

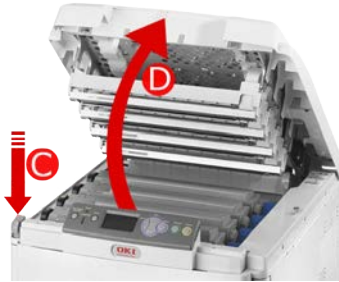5. Close the cover and return the duplex unit to the original position.

Error Code 380, 381, 382, 385 & 389
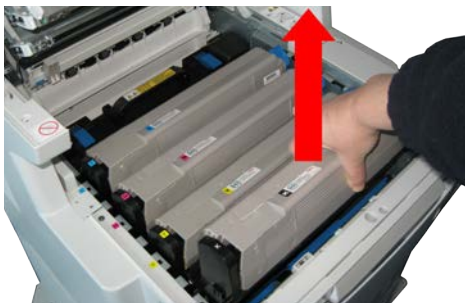A paper jam has occurred inside the printer

1. Press the cover release (C) and open the printer's top cover fully (D).

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2. Note the positions of the four toner cartridges and image drums, it is essential they go back in the same order. Holding it by its top center, lift the toner cartridge, complete with its image drum up and out of the printer.
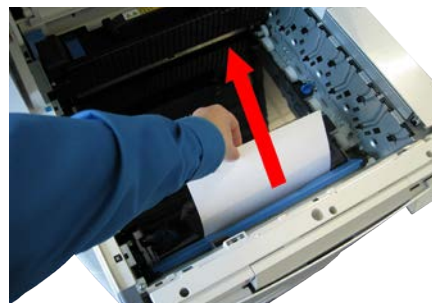

CAUTION!

The green image drum surface is very delicate and light sensitive. Do not touch it and do not expose it to normal room light for more than 5 minutes.
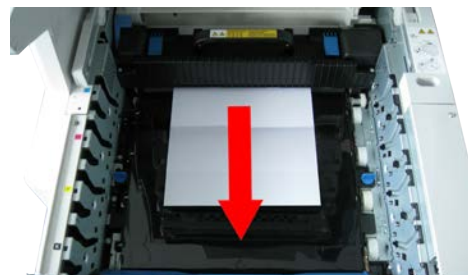
3. Cover the image drum and the toner cartridges.

4. To remove a sheet with its leading edge at the front of the belt, carefully lift the sheet from the belt and gently pull it up and out of the printer.
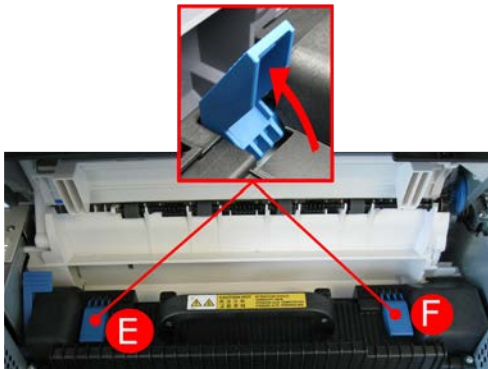

CAUTION!

Do not use any sharp or abrasive objects to separate sheets from the belt. This may damage the belt surface.

5. To remove a sheet from the central area of the belt, carefully separate the sheet from the belt surface and withdraw the sheet.
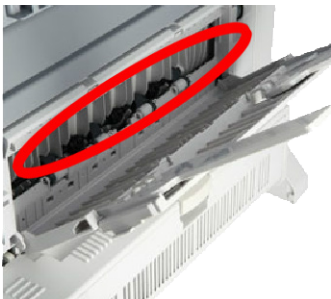
6. If the paper is jammed just entering the fuser, separate the sheet from the belt, lift the fuser pressure release levers (E & F) up to release the fuser's grip on the sheet and withdraw the sheet out of the printer.

NOTE: If the sheet is well advanced into the fuser (only a short length is still visible), do not attempt to pull it back.

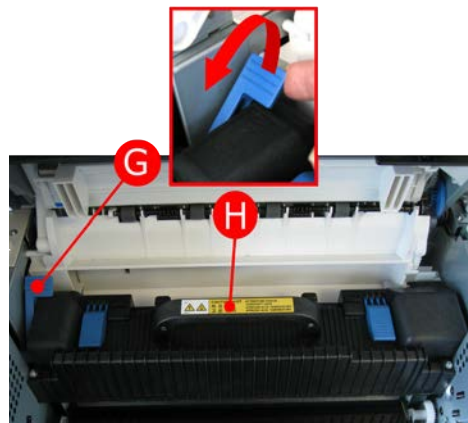7. Open the rear exit tray and check for a sheet of paper in the rear path area.

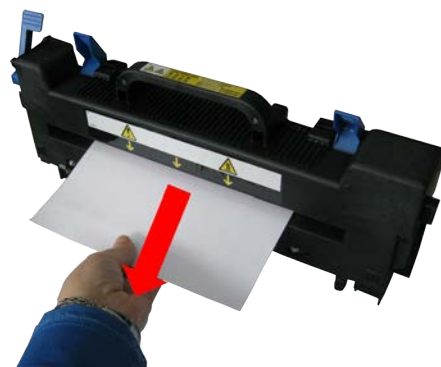8. Pull out any sheets found in this area.

9. If you are not using the rear exit tray, close it once any paper has been removed from this area.

10. Pull the blue lock lever (G) towards the front of the machine and lift the fuser unit out using the handle (H).
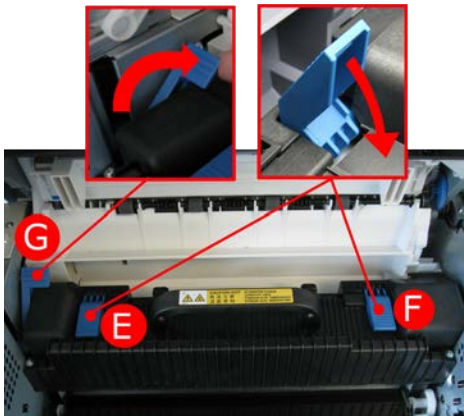

11. Gently remove the jammed paper from the fuser.

12. Insert the fuser unit back into position and push the lock levers (E,F & G) down to lock the fuser unit.

13. Holding the image drum and toner cartridge assembly by its top centre, lower it into place in the printer, locating the pegs at each end into their slots in the sides of the printer cavity. Starting with the cyan image drum unit nearest the fuser, replace the four image drums into the drum cavity, making sure to locate them in the correct order.

14. Lower the top cover but do not press down to latch it closed yet. This will protect the drums from excessive exposure to room lighting while you check the remaining areas for jammed sheets.

ERROR CODE 390
A paper jam has occurred near the Multi Purpose Tray
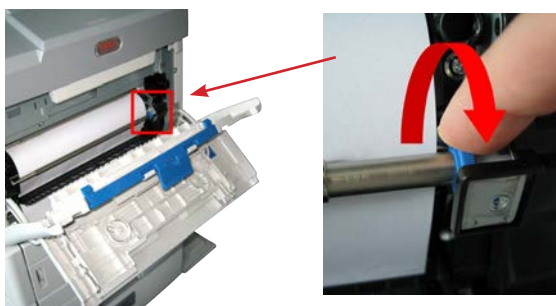
1. Open the Multi Purpose Tray.

2. Lift the front cover release lever and pull open the front cover.

3. If paper is not advanced enough to grip, rotate the blue dial in the direction of the arrow and slowly remove the jammed paper.

4. Close the front cover.

5. If you are not using it, close the Multi Purpose Tray.

Error Code 391, 392, 393, 400 & 401
A paper jam has occurred while feeding paper from a paper tray.

1. Check the paper in the tray, or the printer for a multi- feed. In such cases, the error message can be cleared by opening and closing the front cover.

2. If the error message has not been cleared. Pull out the paper tray.

3. Remove jammed paper.

Note: Ensure all paper is undamaged, stacked properly and the paper guides are properly positioned against the edges of the paper stack.

4. When satisfied, replace the paper tray back into the printer.

5. When the jam has been cleared, if Jam Recovery is set to enabled in the System Configuration Menu, the printer will attempt to reprint any pages lost due to paper jams. (see page 42 of User Manual)
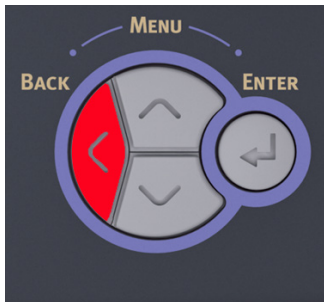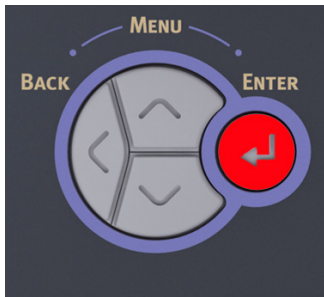
TURNING OFF THE PRINTER

1. Before turning off the printer, be sure to shut down by using the following procedure.

Note: Pressing the OFF (O) side of the power switch suddenly, may cause the printer to be inoperable and could damage the printer.

2. Hold down the BACK button for four seconds or more to display [SHUTDOWN START YES].

3. Press the ENTER button. The printer displays [SHUTTING DOWN], starting shutdown processing.

4. Press the OFF (O) side of the power switch when the printer displays [PLEASE POWER OFF/SHUTDOWN COMP].

Note: You must wait several seconds before you press the ON (I) power switch.